

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: YUICHI OKU ET AL.

SERIAL NO.: 10/070,161

FILED: March 4, 2002

KITS AND METHODS FOR DETECTING OR MEASURING ANALYTES

GROUP ART UNIT: 1641

EXAMINER: Gary Counts

ATTY. REFERENCE: OKUY3001/GAL

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

~~COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS~~

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Siri:

Applicant requests that the time for taking action in this case be extended pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136 (a) for:

A Further One Month Three Months
 Two Months Four Months
 Five Months

The fee set in 37 CFR 1.17 for the extension of time is \$ 570.00 .

- Fee enclosed. Please charge any additional fee required for this extension of time to **Deposit Account Number 02-0200**. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.
- Charge fee to **Deposit Account Number 02-0200**. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.
- Applicant is a **small entity** entitled to pay reduced fees in this application.
A verified small entity statement has been filed. is enclosed.

Also enclosed is a:

Request for Reconsideration Notice of Appeal Appeal Brief

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